GOVERNMENT OF INDIA
HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE
LOK SABHA

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MEDICAL GRANTS COMMISSION ON THE LINE OF UNIVERSITY GRANTS COMMISSION
SURESH RAMRAO JADHAV (PATIL)

Will the Minister of HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE be pleased to state:

(a) whether the Government propose to set up a Medical Grants Commission for promoting research on the lines of University Grants Commission;

(b) if so, the details thereof;

(c) the time by which a legislation in this regard is likely to be brought before the Parliament;

(d) if not, the reasons therefore; and

(e) the steps taken/proposed to be taken by the Government to link all the Medical Colleges to the National Medical Library in order to improve research activities in all these institutions?

Answer

THE MINISTER OF STATE IN THE MINISTRY OF HEALTH AND FAMILY WELFARE (SHRI A. RAJA)

(a) to (d) In view of financial constraints the proposal for establishment of Education Commission in Health Services has been kept in abeyance.

(e) The proposal for linking Medical Colleges Libraries with National Medical Library is under process.